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FOLLOWING SENT ACTION AFSCF LOS ANGELES INFO NAIROBI APRIL 29

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SUBJECT: SEYCHELLES POLITICAL SITUATION

1. THE SEYCHELLES POLITICAL UNREST IS RAPIDLY SUBSIDING AND THE SITUATION IS RETURNING TO NORMAL. THERE WERE NO INCIDENTS REPORTED BY THE POLICE ON SUNDAY. SATURDAY THE TRACKING STATION HAD ONE BRUSH FIRE THAT CAME TO WITHIN 300 OR 400 YARDS OF THE PERIMETER FENCE AND AT ONE POINT WHEN THE WIND PICKED UP THE FLAMES ADVANCED TOWARD THE AREA. SOME SMOKE WAS SUCKED INTO THE AIR CONDITIONING SYSTEM. WE HAD RAPID RESPONSE FROM THE TECHNICIANS WHO HAD ALL AVAILABLE FIRE HOSE STRETCHED OUT WITHIN TEN MINUTES TIME. THE LOCAL POLICE DEPARTMENT WAS NOTIFIED AND THEY RESPONDED VERY RAPIDLY WITH THREE FIRE FIGHTING TEAMS FROM THE AGRICULTURE DEPT REPORTING TO THE BRUSH FIRE WHICH WAS QUICKLY BROUGHT UNDER CONTROL.

2. MR. PHILIBERT LOIZEAU THE GENERAL SECRETARY OF THE SEYCHELLES BUILDING CONSTRUCTION AND CIVIL ENGINEERING WORKERS UNION WAS ONE OF THE 55 PERSONS ARRESTED IN FRIDAY'S CIVIL DISORDER. UNLESS THERE ARE NEW DEVELOPMENTS THIS IS THE LAST MESSAGE CONCERNING THE SEYCHELLES POLITICAL SITUATION. MAJ MICHAUD

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